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FOLLOWING FURTHER DISCUSSION HOTTTL CASE WE HAVE REACHED
FOLLOWING CONCLUSIONS:

- A. CASE HAS NOW BEEN DEVELOPED TO POINT WHERE WE HAVE SUBSTANTIAL AMOUNT OF CONCRETE INFORMATION AND WE CANNOT EFFECTIVELY PLAY WITH IT FURTHER WITHOUT GETTING INTO FIELD OF POSITIVE INTELLIGENCE.
- B. LACKING POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT FROM US HOTTTL'S TECHNICAL ASSISTANTS ARE ALREADY BECOMING SUSPICIOUS THAT OUR MOTIVES ARE MERELY TO PICK UP THEIR NETWORK.
- C. WE BELIEVE TIME HAS NOW COME TO CARRY OUT YOUR ORIGINAL PLAN AND TO PRESENT REPORT TO RUSSIANS. THIS CAN PROBABLY BEST BE DONE TO RUSSIAN LIAISON MISSION WITH SHANN AND SUGGEST TO THEM THAT WE JOINTLY EXPLOIT POSSIBILITIES OF CASE WITH VIEW TO COMPLETE UNCOVERING OF HOTTTL'S NETWORK IN BALKANS.
- D. UNLESS YOU ADVISE TO CONTRARY WE WILL PROCEED ALONG ABOVE LINES AFTER CAREFULLY ASCERTAINING MOST APPROPRIATE RUSSIAN CHANNELS HERE.

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